GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION
LOK SABHA

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TOILETS IN HILLY STATES
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Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the present system and provisions relating to toilets have failed in the hilly states of the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether the Government proposes to review the present system and provisions relating to construction of toilets for such areas, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION (SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)

(a) No Madam.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) A menu of technological options for household latrines are available. Also Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation has set-up a Committee under Chairmanship of Dr. Mashelkar to recommend best Technologies for Household latrines and Solid and Liquid Waste Management.